

Pearson's Remote Invigilation Service

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What is Remote Invigilation

Remote Invigilation is a service that allows students to sit International GCSE exams at home under secure, monitored conditions. Its purpose is to support students who cannot access a physical exam centre due to personal circumstances, or who have additional needs that make an exam centre unsuitable.

Technology and setup

Students are required to have the following:

- 1  **A primary device** - laptop or desktop with webcam, microphone and stable internet.
- 2  **A second device** - mobile phone or tablet with camera and internet to provide a side view of the student.
- 3  **A backup device** - mandatory for every exam, used to continuously record the room and student throughout the exam in case of connection problems.
- 4  **Printer** - a printer and scanner so answer papers can be printed, scanned and submitted after the exam.

Exam environment

These requirements help create a safe, fair exam environment:

- **A private room** - well lit with no interruptions and no unauthorised items in the room
- **Adult supervision** - a parent or guardian must be visible at login, leave once the exam starts, remain available throughout, and return for submission.
- **Rest breaks** - rest breaks and extra time can be used as long as these access arrangements have been approved in advance.

Exam format

On-screen exam responses are typed directly into the assessment player.

Paper-based exams require answers to be handwritten, then scanned and uploaded into the assessment player.

Registering your student

To enter a student for Remote Invigilation with Tute, partners should:

- **Confirm suitability** - Discuss the student's needs with your Account Manager to confirm Remote Invigilation is an appropriate option.
- **Enrol the student** - Add the student via the partner portal or share the details with your Account Manager so the student can be enrolled onto the International GCSEs course.
- **Confirm exam entry** - Tute will confirm exam entry and next steps, including system familiarisation requirements.

Key dates for Remote Invigilation

Students must be studying with Tute on the International GCSE pathway to be eligible for Pearson's Remote Invigilation.

- **12 February 2026**
The deadline for entering students for Remote Invigilation via Tute
- **21 March 2026**
The deadline for withdrawing students without a fee
System familiarisation window opens - mandatory completion
- **9 April 2026**
Late entry deadline - £50 additional fee per paper
System familiarisation completion deadline - voids exam entry if not completed.

Subjects available with Tute:

- **Maths**
- **English Language**
- **Science** (Double award)

Practice assessment for students

Prior to their exam, your students will need to access the following:

- **Familiarisation sessions** - Mandatory practice. Students must complete this to be able to sit the exam.
- **Guidance resources** - Handbooks, video guides, and demo access are provided.